

Children's Intensive In-home Behavioral Support Overview

The Children's Intensive In-home Behavioral Support program is designed to support up to 200 children at high risk of out-of-home placement due to challenging behaviors and help them live successfully at home with their families. The goals are to improve support to families and strengthen their child's success in the family home and community. Positive behavior support and wraparound service planning are the key elements of the model.

Each family chooses and partners with a contracted behavior specialist. The behavior specialist conducts a functional behavior assessment of the child and develops and oversees a positive behavior support plan that fits the child and family. Behavior technicians work directly with the child and family to deliver behavior supports outlined in the plan.

Individualized support planning is collaborative, and team based. Each child and family team includes family members, friends, service providers, school staff and others important in the child and family's life. Planning builds on strengths and works toward outcomes driven by the family.



Eligibility Requirements

Individuals who:

- Have been determined a client of the Developmental Disabilities Administration and are age eight or older and under the age of 18 for initial enrollment and under age 21 for continued enrollment.
- Meet disability criteria established in the Social Security Act.
- Live with his/her/their family.
- Meet Intermediate Care Facility for Individuals with Intellectual Disabilities level of care criteria.
- Have a DDA assessment and Person-Centered Service Plan that describe how the child's health, safety and habilitation needs will be met in the community.
- Have agreed to accept home and community-based services and the CIIBS service delivery model as an alternative to institutional services.
- Have been assessed at high or severe risk of out-of-home placement due to challenging behaviors prior to enrollment in the program.

Service include: Assistive Technology • Environmental Adaptations • Equine Therapy • Positive Behavior Support and Consultation (Only available to clients 20 and younger who are currently receiving the service as of 10/1/2020) • Music Therapy • Nurse Delegation • Respite • Risk Assessment • Specialized Clothing • Specialized Equipment and Supplies • Specialized Habilitation • Stabilization Services-Specialized Habilitation • Stabilization Services-Staff and Family Consultation • Stabilization Services-Crisis Diversion Bed • Staff and Family Consultation • Therapeutic Adaptation • Transportation • Vehicle Modification.

Authority

- [Chapter 71A.24 RCW](#), *Intensive Behavior Support Services*
- [Chapter 388-845 WAC](#), *DDD Home and Community Based Services Waivers*

Budget

We do not currently budget to this level of detail, or track expenditures by waiver as they cross multiple budget units.

Rates

Waiver services are delivered by many different contracted service providers whose rates are dependent upon the service offered. Individual service rates can be found at:

<https://www.dshs.wa.gov/altsa/management-services-division/office-rates-management>

Partners

- Individuals receiving services
- Families of program participants

- Aging and Long-Term Support Administration
- Department of Children, Youth and Families
- The Arc of Washington
- DD Ombuds
- Disability Rights Washington
- Service providers
- Washington State Developmental Disability Council

Oversight

External

- AL TSA Residential Care Services Division
- Department of Children, Youth and Families
- Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services
- National Core Indicators Project
- State Auditor's Office
- Washington State Department of Health

Internal

- DDA Office of Quality Programs and Services
- DDA Office of Compliance, Monitoring and Training
- DDA Statewide Investigation Unit

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